A Julian Eltinge Story As Told By the Press Agent.

P at Fort Salonga, Long Island. there are a few genuine old stick-in-the-muds who drink their coffee out of their saucers in the dear old American way, talk through their noses, and have never

heard of Julian Eltinge S'fact!
They know Bill Dalton, however, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dalton, who spends his summers up there, b'gosh, yes. But they aren't as free with Bill as they used to be. There's sort of a wall-like between them now. Yes. They don't seem to be as friendly with Bill.

It was this way. They didn't know it, but last winter Julian Ellinge got fat, and Bill Dalton had to spend his sum-

mer reducing.

One fine morning, when the hot dust was covering the road to a depth of three inches and the oldest inhabitants were sitting around in their shirt sleeves while the younger ones were barefooted, they beheld an astonishing spectacle.

Down the road came a man with a balldog on a chain. Both were jogging along at a fast trot. The dog was naked, but the man was not. On the contrary, he had on three woolen aweaters, heavy woolen gloves, and other articles of dress such as Peary probably were at the North Pole. Past the village store ran the animal

and his master, and up the hill 'eyond, while the perspiration left little puddles

When the postmaster could catch his breath he turned to the gaping visitors on the store porch and exclaimed:
"It's Bill Dalton, and he's gone plumb dippy."
Thereupon a committee of everyone Thereupon a committee of everyone

present was formed to wait upon Bill's mother to offer consolation.

And although she tried to assure them that her son was merely taking off a few pounds and getting into condition for the part he was to play in his new comedy, "Cousin Lucy." they couldn't get it through their heads how any man could run races with a dog on a hot day like that dressed in wastern and day like that dressed in woolens, and still be in his right mind.

This Being An Actor Isn't Easy, Girls, It Isn't Easy. For Instance:

ALPH REMELY, is a nice weeks he has done nothing but sit and twiddle his fingers. He is a member of the Poli stock company, and to play the title role in "The Dummy," which plays at that house this week, he's had to wiggle his fingers continuously for two weeks, stopping only long enough to act as if he didn't hear any-

He wouldn't have to work so hard if it were not for the fact that he is sensi-But he hasn't stopped twiddling his fingers for several reasons. One is that he is afraid that some of the people out Gallaudet way will come to the show and criticise his technique, and he's that nervous!

A. H. Van Buren is taking his cus- render tomary twelfth week vacation during the presentation of "The Dummy."

Harvey J. O'Higgins, who, with Hariet Pord wrote "The Dummy," which is to be seen at Poli's this week, was the winner of the first \$5,000 short story prize offered by Collier's some eight or ten years ago.

Have You Ever Written a Play?

Grace George Would Like to See It. THE country is simply gasping for Stuart Christie, Frank Monroe, Vir-

dred or so? Grace George, for one, would produce them.

"Being a loyal American," she says, "I should like to keep on producing American comedies and nothing but American comedies. But I can't get them. That's why only one of the three plays with which I have built up my repertory at the Playhouse so far is by a native author. Of the other two, one is by that most English of Englishmen, Henry Artbur Jones, and the other is by Bernard Shaw. I almost called him an Englishman, too, I have one good American high comedy, but I'm sure I don't know where I am loss to flexible to flow the same and the form and the most called him an Englishman, too.

I have one good American high comedy, but I'm sure I don't know where I am loss to flexible trong the form the play seen entirely new scenes introduced.

In the large cast are to be found lossephine, Lew Hearn, Bonita, Marie I have one good American high comedy, but I'm sure I don't know where I am going to find another. That one is so hard to duplicate. I'm inclined to agree with Augustus Thomas in a statement he made recently, that there has never been produced in New York a better play than "The New York idea. Mr. Thomas, himself the dean of our playwrights, went on to say: 'I do not think so good a comedy has been written by any other American author.' With all this I heartily agree, but I have "The New York Idea" in my repertors already."

Seats are on sule this week at Faith.

Seats are on sale this week at Keith's for the Langtry and Weber-Fields engagements, and next week the Russell cardboards will be obtainable. Manager Robbins promises bills as good as or better for the balance of the season, summer included, for Keith's will stay open all through if Washington gives adequate support.

The charm of the play is due to the delightful personality and acting of Miss Molly Pearson, who plays the role of Maggie Hobson, Maggie Hobson, who plays the role of Maggie Hobson, who plays has the babit of getting her own way, whether it be in getting her own way, whether it be in getting has done in the role of Maggie Hobson, who plays has the babit of getting her own way, whether it be in getting has always has the babit of getting her own way, which has in the role of the role of Molly Pearson, who plays the role of Maggie Hobson, who plays the role of Maggie Hobson,

Miss Zella Russell, leading woman at Burnett Partie Gayety Theater this week is a Fursythe Mashington girl, having been educated in the local schools.

double quartet that was featured in "The Old Homestead."

Frank M. Ford, treasurer of the Gayty Theater, is the proud father of a baby boy, who arrived late Tuesday evening of the past week. Mr Ford is the son of J. T. Ford, the theatrical man, of Baltimore, and grandson of the late J. T. Ford, who built and operated Ford's Opera House on Tenth street Mrs. Ford is the daughter of J. M. Lynch, a wealthy Baltimore coal oper-

Sir Herbert Tree writes from California, asking his personal representative. Percy Burton, to contradict the report that he is going to appear in vaudeville. and says that he has not even discussed later.

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During a brief respite from the films. Sir Herbert has, however, appeared on the Los Angeles stage recently at a benefit in aid of crippled newsboys and given the Western city a foretaste of his Shylock in the first scene of the third act of The Merchant of Venice, the which play he will be seen during

"On Trial" Promised At National Soon

A melodrama, "On Tria"," will be seen at the New National the week of Feb-

The drama is set in a court room where a man is on trial for murder. As the leading witnesses appear and begin

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Where To Go Today

At 3 and S:15 p. m. at Keith's today the bill will offer "The Forest Fire," names and Bonnie Thornton, Frederick V. Bowers and company, Ruth Hoye, Savoy and Brennan, Joseph Bernard and company, Gaites brothers, Bradley and Norris, and other regular and added offerings.

Sunday amusement seekers will find Being An Actor Isn't Easy.

It Isn't Easy. For Instance:
ALPH REMELY, is a nice enough boy, and bright, and all that, but think of it—for two weeks he has done nothing but the shows.

> Francis Bushman and Beverly Bayne hold the screen at Moore's Garden Theater today in the Metro Company's masterpiece. Man and His Soul." The auxiliary comedy attraction will be Ford Sterling in "The Hunt." a travesty upon fox hunting. Special music by the Garden Symphony Orchestra will be a special attraction.

Syd Chaplin will head the program it Moore's Strand Theater today in The Submarine Pirate. The added "The Submarine Pirate." The added attraction will be Harold Lockwood and May Allison in a novel Western comedy rams. The Man in the Sombrero." The Strand Symphony Orchestra will ender appropriate musical accompaniments

The Stage in New York

(Continued from Tenth Page.) American plays. Why doesn't some one come along with a hun-

drews, Viola Roach, Alice Seymour, Harold de Becker, Walter Fredericks, Burnett Parker, Agnes Dorntee, Robert Foraythe, Marle Hudspeth, and Harry

Arthor Hopkins will shortly enter the Frank Thompson, the only son of Denman Thompson, of "Uncle Josh" fame, is presenting in Keith vaudeville the big of the producting lists again with a new play by J. and L. Du Rocher MacPherson, authors of "Evidence." It is called found to be a supported by the production of the play and it is a supported by the play and it is a supported by the play the play and it is a supported by the play the play and it is a supported by the play the pl authors of "Evidence." It is called "The Happy Ending, and is said to be a drama of Scotch life. Rehearsals will begin shortly and the play will be produced in New York in the latter part Mr. Hopkins' most recent production was "The Devil's Garden," at the Harris Theater.

Margaret Anglin, in Bupert Hughes' dramatization of Germade Atherton's novel, "The Perch of the Devil," will open in Atlantic City on February 18. The play has been rechristened "The Lynch, a wealthy Baltimore coal operator.

The performances at the Gayety Themster will begin of the regular schedule again this week at 2.15 and 8.15 n. m.

Sir Herbert Tree writes from California.

"The Will of the Wisp." with Alice Brady featured, will open in Wilmington early in April, and in New York a little

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With the Local Musicians

Miss Mona Jeliman, present hold-C of the Peanod, alumni scholarship, gave the program at the bi-monthly meeting of the Peabody A short pusiness meeting for the ratification of the constitution, and reports of committees, preceded the musicale.

A reception for the faculty and former students of Peabody Con-servatory will be given in the club rooms on February 6, from 4 to 6.

'Mme. Leona Clarkson Grugan gave a pinno recital at the Home Club last Wednesday, playing Nocturne. C-Minor; Mazourka, D-Major; and Ballade, C-Minor, by Chopin; Prelide and "Clair de Lune," by Debussy; "Sonetto del Petrarch" and Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 8, py Liszt.

A reception in honor of Mrs. Su-sanne Oldberg was given at Wash-ington College last Monday to celebrate her acquisition as a member of brate her acquisition as a member of the faculty. During the evening stu-dents of the college presented the following program: "Madchen mit dem Roten Muetzchen" (Franz): "The Rainbow Child" (Coleridge-Taylor) Miss Adele Robinson; "Con-cert Etude" (Macdowell): "Romance" (Bublistein). Miss Jashel Primm: cert Etude" (Macdowell): "Romance (Rubinstein), Miss Isabel Primm; "Brice," Weil auf mir. "My Little Woman." Lady Mine" (Lohr), H. H. Campbell; "Pierrette's Song." (by Coates); "Si tu m'ami" (Pergolesi), Miss Alma Thomas; "Etude," "Ecossaise," "Nocturne," "Mazurka," "Valse," "Prelude, No. 23," "Polonaise" (Chopin); "Rondo" (Field), and "Soiree de Vienne," S. M. Fabian. Fabian.
Mrs. Oldberg accompanied Miss.
Robinson and Mr. Campbell and Miss.
Primm accompanied Miss Thomas.

More than 140 singers attended the initial rehearsal of the Washington Oratorio Society last Monday evening at the Church of the Covenant.

It is, however, the desire of the director. Sydney Layd Wrightson, lo augment the chorus to 250 volces for the production of Mendelssohn's "St. Paul." New members will be ad-Paul." New members will be admitted at any Monday evening re-hearsal up to February 22 hearsal up to February 21.

Music at the Church of the Covenant this afternoon will be sung by the double quartet, and this evening by the choir of a hundred voices, with Sydney Lloyd Wrightson directwith Sydney Lloyd Wrightson directing and Harvey Murray at the organ. The afternoon program includes "Again As Evening's Shadow Falls," Fletcher; "Ninety and Nine," Campion: "The Shadows of the Evening Hour," Galbraith; "The Lord Is My Light," Marchant, and "Hide Me Under the Shadow," West. The evening choir will sing "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee," Stebbins; "Calvary," Rodney; "The Souls of the Righteous," Foster: "God Shall Wipe Away All Tears," Field.

The pupils of Harry P. Hopkins at Washington College will give the following recital next Friday afternoon: "Symphonic piece in C minor," Grieg, Miss Margaret Bergner and Mr. Hopkins; "Ballet Dance," Meyer He'mund, Miss Virginia Fird; "Valse in E flat," Dusaude, Miss Jordan Prince: "Polks de Concert," Isartlett, Miss Frances Rayner; "Concert Waltz in E major," Miss Margaret Bergner, and "Echo Etude in D flat," Liszt, Mrs. Olmsteed.

Mrs. Huron W. Lawson will give her second song recital at Flora Macdonald College, Red Spring, N. C. tomorrow night. On Saturday Mrs. Lawson will make her second appearance at Chambersburg, Pa.

Notes of Stage

Woods and Frederick McKay, man-ager of Blanche Ring, Miss Ring is to appear as the star in Mr. Woods' forthcoming production of Willard Mack's new comedy, "Broadway and

Buttermilk." This will be Miss Ring's first appearance in New York since "When Claudia Smiles" two scasons ago and her first appearance in a role in which she will not be called upon to sing.

"The Boy Scouts," a musical comedy, dealing with preparedness, will be Gus Hill's next production. An important feature of the piece will be the Camphre Giris. A Boy Scout band of sixteen pieces will accompany the production on its travels, and street parades will be held in conjunction with local Boy Scout organizations in all towns billed.

Arthur Hammerstein plans to present Adele Rowland as a star at the expiration of her present engagement in "Katinka." For her vehicle a "comedy with musical numbers and a song or two" will be selected. The arrangement comes as the result of her consecutive suc-cesses in "The Only Girl," "Nobody Home," and "Katinka."

Eva Tanguay is again going the Kelth rounds and carrying with her a toy theater, fully equipped, with a large company of mannikin players and several complete melo-dramatic productions, with which she amuses herself and the theater

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